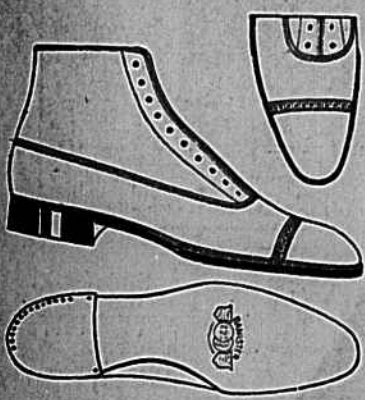


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NEW YORK
NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Henry Oyen, the novelist, blew into Gotham the other day to stay a week—and left in two days. He upset a kettle of theories that New York is the place for writing men. Oyen used to migrate between New York and Chicago as a newspaper reporter and then he began to write stories of the underworld.

He picked out one of those dark, gloomy studios in Washington Square so he would be in the proper atmosphere. He played the French and Italian table d'hotes at night with the rest of the fringe—those who starve in the literary attics and knock editors who wear horn-rimmed glasses.

One night Oyen went to his favorite cafe. Three stories had been returned to him that day. At the far end of the table, took a good look at the table-cloth stained a water red from the vin ordinaire and covered with sick looking demitasse cups. He casually bade his friends good night.

Forty-eight hours later he was dipping a paddle in a pine-ringed lake in a wilderness 1,500 miles from New York. He began to write of the woods, of the husky lumberjacks, the great sinewed naive children of the forest—men with hair on their chest instead of the sickly pale, cocaine sniffling misfits of the underworld. He says he will never return. He has found the life.

Oscar, the far-famed manager of the Waldorf, has been courting the muse on the sly. Oscar is known by his first name because no one can spell his last name and even if they could spell it they could not pronounce it—that is unless they can sneeze three times in succession and wind-up with a hiccup.

Most people think of Oscar as the inventor of sauces and as a stately maitre d' hotel. Here is his first poem: Little children learn to serve Hearts within and God above Flery spirits flitting by Toll for beauty and for love.

He wrote the poem for a book of verses the proceeds of which go to the milk funds for New York children. He writes on the same pages with Arnold Bennett, James Whitcomb Riley and other notables without a blush.

New York has a crape-hanger of the lowest possible type. He has made public an offer to thumbprint the Ford peace envoys in the event of the ship's being torpedoed.

Three hundred and twelve persons have been killed by automobiles in the

BOY SCOUTS PUT BAN ON DIME NOVELS

Ask the Co-operation of Book Sellers in Stemming the Tide of "Trash."

BERLIN, Dec. 6.—Turkey's participation has been rung on the sale of trashy literature, of the dime novel type to the small boy, by the leaders in the Boy Scouts of America. From now on a sharp lookout will be kept over Willie by mother, as he stealthily creeps away to the attic, to see whether he has a copy of "Paradise Lost or the Foul Fiend's Revenge" stored away for an evening's reading.

All this has been brought about by Chief Scout Librarian Matthews, who, as the representative of the Boy Scouts of America, is seeking the co-operation of the American Booksellers' Association, the American Library Association and the parents of "America's future statesmen" in an endeavor to improve their literary tastes.

The movement is of national scope and will be operated along the lines of personal touch between the representatives of the Boy Scouts in the various cities and all booksellers, publishers and library associations. Attaches of the local scout headquarters are already on the warpath, and now that the holidays are approaching, are doubly alert in their efforts to stem the sale tide of literary trash before it is too late.

E. Urner Goodman, of the local branch, says that every volume reaching the library is gone over thoroughly by a well known authority on boy's books, and must pass strict censorship before being placed upon the shelves for circulation amongst the members.

This has resulted in a library of over 2,000 volumes of good, clean literature that will tend toward raising to a high standard the manners, aspirations and literary ideals of the growing youth.

MORE FREEDOM

For Turkish Women Since War in Europe Was Entered into by Turkey.

(Correspondence of Associated Press.) PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 6.—Curfew pation in the war is bringing a greater degree of freedom to the Turkish women. The Turkish ministry of posts, telegraphs and telephones announces that women are to be employed in the money order departments of the post-offices. They must be not less than seventeen years old and unmarried. The pay is about \$16 monthly. Damascus reports the opening of a girls' school.

You might call Stage, of Chicago, the dean of the coaches. He has been holding his present job for twenty-five years, and looks good for another twenty-five.

streets of New York during the last eleven months. This is a twenty per cent increase over the figures for 1914. Safety societies seems powerless to stop the slaughter. The killing goes on at a steadily increasing rate. Police and magistrates with their heralded campaigns have not even checked it.

Recruits are now being called out for the Snow army. The first heavy snow of the year always hits New York hard and completely ties up traffic. Commissioner Fetherston has decided to be prepared and is enlisting men for the first battle.

The fact that it has been quite hard to secure laborers for the job indicates that there are very few men out of steady employment in New York. Last year the city was weeks and weeks clearing the streets and unless enough men can be secured the same condition will exist this year.

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